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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on August 5, 2004, please amend the following claims as indicated.